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SERIAL NUMBER: 10/092,077 ) EXAMINER: P. NILAND  
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FILED: MARCH 6, 2002 ) RESPONSE TO PAPER NO. 9  
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TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND )  
THEIR USE FOR THE )  
THICKENING OF AQUEOUS )  
SYSTEMS )

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated February 26, 2003, Applicants submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for Extension of Time along with the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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